

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

PACETTI, Stephen D.

Serial No.: 10/805,036

Filed: 16 March 2004

For: BIOLOGICALLY ABSORBABLE
COATINGS FOR IMPLANTABLE
DEVICES BASED ON COPOLYMERS
HAVING ESTER BONDS AND
METHODS FOR FABRICATING THE
SAME

Group Art Unit: 1615

Examiner: Caralynne E. Helm

Confirmation No.: 7967

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Dear Sir:

RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

With regard to the final office action mailed 24 May 2010, please consider the remarks below.